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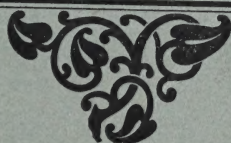
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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF
HOPKINTON

FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1913



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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF
HOPKINTON

COMPRISING THE REPORTS OF

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, High-
way Agents, School Board, Library
Trustees and Auditors

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING
FEBRUARY 15, 1913

CONCORD, N. H.
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1913

TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator.

HORACE J. DAVIS.

Selectmen.

WILLIAM A. BAKER.
ALBERT F. RUNNELLS.
WILLIAM L. MOULTON.

Town Clerk.

JOHN A. FULLER.

Town Treasurer.

JAMES G. RICE.

Collector of Taxes.

GEORGE E. PATCH.

Highway Agents.

LEWIS H. DEARBORN.
W. H. MILTON.

Town Auditors.

ARTHUR G. SYMONDS.
FRANK I. MORRILL.
HARRY W. MARSHALL.

Board of Health.

GEORGE C. BLAISDELL, term expires in 1913.
WILLIAM C. RUSS, term expires in 1914.
W. H. TARBELL, term expires in 1915.

Supervisors of Checklist.

EDMOND G. DANFORTH.
LEWIS A. NELSON.
NELSON D. KIMBALL.

School Board.

FRANK H. COLBY, term expires March, 1913.
J. A. JONES, term expires March, 1914.
C. H. PEASLEE, term expires March, 1915.

Treasurer of School District.

SARAH U. KIMBALL.

School District Auditor.

ROBERT T. GOULD.

Library Trustees.

ANSTIS I. GREENE, term expires March, 1913.
SAMUEL T. SYMONDS, term expires March, 1914.
FRANK I. MORRILL, term expires March, 1915.

Truant Officers.

Eben F. Dustin. H. F. Edmunds.

Fence Viewers.

Jacob S. Tuttle. George W. Burnham.
R. T. Gould.

Constable.

Frank I. Morrill.

Tramp Police.

Oscar N. Chase. Frank H. Mills.

Police.

Jacob S. Tuttle.

A. C. Call.

Fire Wards.

Horace J. Davis.

F. L. Flanders.

Frank I. Morrill.

W. C. Russ.

H. T. Skelly.

H. F. Edmunds.

Forest Fire Ward.

Will H. Milton.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

George E. Lord.

Weighers.

Leon D. Whittier.

E. E. Sawyer.

J. Arthur Jones.

Sextons.

E. E. Dunbar.

Henry B. Davis.

A. S. Eaton.

James M. Hook.

Ira A. Putney.

Will H. Milton.

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber.

H. J. Davis.

Henry Burbank.

Parker Flanders.

A. C. Call.

F. I. Morrill.

H. H. Crowell.

E. F. Dustin.

D. F. Fisk.

F. E. Dodge.

A. J. Boutwell.

Henry R. Davis.

F. L. Flanders.

George E. Barnard.

Walter C. Hackett.

H. W. Marshall.

J. O. Straw.

Ray Burbank.

Dog Officer.

Jacob S. Tuttle.

Ballot Inspectors.

Eben F. Dustin.

James G. Rice.

George M. Putnam.

James O. Straw.

Moth Agents.

Charles S. Rowell.

Walter E. Goodwin.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Hopkinton, in the County of Merrimack, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Hopkinton, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repairs of highways and bridges in addition to the sum required by law, and appropriate the same.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the Hopkinton Free Public Library, and appropriate the same.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Day, and appropriate the same.

6. To hear and act upon the reports of town officers, library trustees, and committees.

7. To see if the town will vote to accept the conditions of the act of legislature passed in 1905 and amendments, to wit: An act to provide for state aid, and for the expenditure of other public money, in the permanent improvement of main highways throughout the state,

and see what sum or sums of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the same.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the maintenance of state highway, and appropriate the same.

9. To see if the town will vote to allow two per cent. discount on all taxes paid on or before July 1, 1913.

10. To see if the town will vote to accept a bequest of \$100 from H. L. and A. J. Boutwell for the care of the burial lot of the late Henry B. A. Boutwell in Hopkinton New Cemetery.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purpose of purchasing land for burial lots at Contoocook, and appropriate the same.

12. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to distribute the inventory blanks not earlier than April 1, 1913.

13. To hear and transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our lord nineteen hundred and thirteen.

WILLIAM A. BAKER,
ALBERT F. RUNNELLS,
WILLIAM L. MOULTON,

Selectmen of Hopkinton.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

WILLIAM A. BAKER,
ALBERT F. RUNNELLS,
WILLIAM L. MOULTON,

Selectmen of Hopkinton.

INVENTORY OF TAXABLE PROPERTY

APRIL 1, 1912.

Polls, 435,	\$43,500
Real Estate,	911,959
Horses, 354,	35,794
Mules, 2,	350
Oxen, 32,	2,130
Cows, 676,	22,989
Neat Stock, 164,	3,265
Sheep, 214,	989
Hogs, 38,	310
Fowls, 470,	231
Vehicles and autos, 55,	17,620
Motor boats, 3,	350
Wood, lumber, etc.,	22,446
Stock in Public Funds,	19,550
Stock in banks in state,	7,340
Money on hand and at interest,	20,765
Stock in trade,	59,725
Mills and machinery,	70,350
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	\$1,239,663
Less soldiers' exemptions,	18,310
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Total,	\$1,221,353

Rate per cent. of taxation, town, \$1.84.

Rate per cent. of taxation, Contoocook precinct, \$0.29.

Rate per cent. of taxation, Hopkinton village fire district,
\$0.41.

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS, 1912.

State tax,	\$3,728.00
County tax,	2,590.16
Highways and bridges by law,	3,053.38
Highways and bridges by vote,	1,700.00
Town charges,	1,500.00
Free public library,	300.00
Memorial Day,	75.00
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Total town appropriations,	\$12,946.54

HOPKINTON SCHOOL TOWN DISTRICT APPROPRIATIONS.

School money by law,	\$3,495.00
School money by vote of district,	3,200.00
Payment of notes,	1,200.00
Salary of School district officers,	250.00
Books and supplies,	500.00
Repairs of schoolhouse,	250.00
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Total school appropriations,	\$8,895.00
Contoocook precinct,	\$1,000.00
Hopkinton fire district,	500.00
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Total appropriations, precincts,	1,500.00
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Total appropriations, 1912,	\$23,341.54

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Received from Merrimack County for aid of dependent soldiers,	\$413.44
Merrimack County for support of paupers off farm,	115.42
state, portion of state highway maintenance fund,	46.72
state, portion of state highway fund,	378.75
state, for burial of veteran,	30.00
state, forestry protection,	54.93
state, bounty on hedgehogs,	5.00
Hillsborough County, aid rendered pauper,	9.90
Fred J. Chase, for support of Emily A. Chase,	220.00
town of Henniker, rent of engine,	37.50
town of Webster, one-half cost of two stone bounds (1911),	6.86
A. C. Call, taxes (1910),	2.96
A. C. Call, interest on tax (1910),	.52
Henry A. Tarr, for removing shade trees,	6.00
Davis Paper Co., for bridge plank,	3.60
rent of town house,	27.00
theatrical licenses,	20.00
rent of hearse,	1.00
sale of two cemetery lots,	8.00
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	\$1,387.60

The selectmen are chargeable with orders drawn on treasurer, viz.:

STATE TAX.

Paid state treasurer,	\$3,728.00
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COUNTY TAX.

Paid county treasurer,	\$2,590.16
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SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid Sarah U. Kimball, treasurer,	\$9,595.13
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MEMORIAL DAY.

Paid H. H. Crowell, quartermaster Colonel Putnam Post, G. A. R.,	\$75.00
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HOPKINTON VILLAGE FIRE DISTRICT.

Paid H. F. Edmunds, treasurer,	\$500.00
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CONTOOCOOK PRECINCT.

Paid J. A. Fuller, treasurer,	\$1,000.00
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HOPKINTON FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Paid Mrs. Anstis I. Green, trustee,	\$150.00
Frank I. Morrill, trustee,	150.00
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	\$300.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid L. H. Dearborn, agent,	\$892.05
W. H. Milton, agent,	1,204.08
Hollis M. Chase, for bridge plank,	22.00
D. F. Fisk, for bridge plank,	177.98
Dexter Ladd, for bridge plank,	26.88
Burbank Lumber Co., for bridge plank,	55.44
N. E. Metal Co., for culverts,	5.45
Rand & Diman, for railings,	96.54
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	\$2,480.42

BREAKING ROADS AND WINTER WORK.

Paid L. H. Dearborn, agent,	\$382.31
W. H. Milton, agent,	206.99
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	\$589.30

TRAMP DEPARTMENT.

Paid Oscar N. Chase, care of 185 tramps,	\$46.25
Oscar N. Chase, wood and bedding,	6.50
Frank H. Mills, care of 126 tramps,	31.50
W. L. Moulton, wood for tramp house,	10.00
H. P. Wilson, rent of land for tramp house,	2.00
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	\$96.25

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS, COUNTY.

Paid dependent soldiers and families,	\$438.15
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DEPENDENT SOLDIERS, TOWN.

Paid dependent soldiers, town,	\$2.87
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COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid E. E. Dunbar for burial of Belle Sanville,	\$24.00
W. N. Davis, provisions delivered Belle Sanville,	3.52
Dr. W. Tarbell, services Belle Sanville,	5.00
Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, services Fred Getchell,	1.50
Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, services Julia Campbell,	5.00
R. J. Geer, care of Mallard twins,	18.60
Dr. Frank Eaton, services Ed Tebbets,	1.25
W. L. Moulton, provisions delivered Ed Tebbets,	11.90
G. C. Wiggin, house rent for Ed Tebbets,	14.00
Dr. C. D. Cole, services, Fred Cota family,	20.75
Mrs. J. O. Straw, care Fred Cota family,	4.00
Mrs. Charles Wunderlich, care Cota family,	1.00
Mrs. Barton, care Fred Cota family,	9.00
Mrs. E. E. French, care Fred Cota family,	4.00
Mrs. Joseph Heaps, care Fred Cota family,	.50
W. A. Baker, team and car fare,	4.98
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	\$129.00

TOWN POOR.

Paid for support of Mrs. Joseph Hagar,	\$364.00
Mary A. Needham, support of Charles D. Guild,	178.15
Brown & Batchelder, clothing, Charles D. Guild,	3.50
Dr. Frank Eaton, services, Charles D. Guild,	30.00
burial of Charles D. Guild,	48.40
Margaret Pillsbury Hospital, care of Anna Blake,	10.28
support of Emily A. Chase,	78.00

Paid aid rendered Charles Loud,	\$3.48
Sacred Heart Hospital, treatment Bertha R. Chandler,	205.00
Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, services, Bertha R. Chandler,	18.25
Dr. W. H. Tarbell, services, Bertha R. Chandler,	8.00
Dr. L. A. Sanders, services, Bertha R. Chandler,	20.00
Dr. F. W. Grafton, services, Bertha R. Chandler,	15.00
nurses, services, Bertha R. Chandler,	88.00
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	\$1,070.06

BROWN-TAIL MOTH ACCOUNT.

Paid C. S. Rowell, agent,	\$575.95
W. E. Goodwin, agent,	236.98
L. H. Mills, agent,	129.13
F. B. Shattuck, pay-roll,	40.00
envelopes for moth notice, etc.,	16.00
selectmen for moth work,	18.00
L. O. Claffin, rent of team,	4.00
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	\$1,020.06
Charged to property owners,	221.23
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Balance paid from town treasury,	\$798.83

CEMETERIES.

Paid A. S. Eaton, cleaning Blackwater Cemetery,	\$2.00
Amos Davis, cleaning Stumpfield Cemetery,	6.00
J. M. Hook, cleaning Clement's Hill Cemetery,	5.00

Paid Ira A. Putney, cleaning Putney Hill Cemetery,	\$1.00
A. F. Runnells, repairs at New Cemetery,	3.00
Edson Page, for mowing Old and New Cemeteries,	18.00
W. C. Russ, cleaning Old Cemetery,	15.00
H. F. Edmunds, water, Old Cemetery,	10.00
W. H. Milton, mowing and cleaning Contoocook Cemetery,	15.00
Rand & Diman, repairs at Contoocook Cemetery,	7.26
E. C. Currier, repairs at Contoocook Cemetery,	1.25
Contoocook Water-Works, water for Contoocook Cemetery,	12.00
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	\$95.51

FOREST AND OTHER FIRES.

Paid W. H. Milton, forest fire-warden, pay-roll at fire near New Bridge,	\$117.31
J. E. Marshall, deputy fire-warden of Henniker, at fire near New Bridge,	54.95
Contoocook Hook and Ladder, pay-roll at fire in Davis' block,	3.00
Contoocook Hose Company, pay-roll at fire in Davis' block,	3.75
Contoocook Hook and Ladder Company at hotel fire,	3.00
Contoocook Hose Company at hotel fire,	6.38
W. C. Russ, fire-warden, pay-roll at fire of G. M. Putnam's buildings,	25.75
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	\$214.14

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Paid J. S. Tuttle, services as police,	\$23.95
A. C. Call, services as police,	9.94
Arthur Hathorn, services as police,	4.00
W. C. Emerson, services as police,	4.00
M. W. Burbank, services as police,	5.00
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	\$46.89

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, services and material,	\$15.00
W. C. Russ, services and material,	18.25
W. C. Russ, cash paid, material,	6.90
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	\$40.15

TEMPORARY LOANS AND INTEREST.

Paid National State Capital Bank, notes Nos. 12 and 13, and interest,	\$2,058.33
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid J. A. Fuller, insurance on town house,	\$25.00
Rumford Press, printing reports (1912),	73.00
A. F. Runnells, getting reports,	1.50
J. G. Rice, postage,	.50
Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, returning births and deaths,	5.50
W. A. Baker, cash paid, envelopes,	10.63
A. G. Fish, publishing notice,	1.00
Contoocook Electric Light Co., lighting town house,	47.00
Baker & Keeler, treasurer's bond,	12.50

Paid J. M. Perry, labor on crusher,	\$2.45
C. R. Putnam, services reappraising,	4.00
J. G. Rice, services reappraising,	2.00
G. E. Barnard, services reappraising,	1.00
W. A. Baker, cash paid envelopes for collector,	10.62
E. J. Fletcher, painting guide-boards,	3.00
Oliver Edwards, services reappraising,	5.00
W. H. Milton, freight, expressage and telephoning,	1.85
Edson C. Eastman, tax-book,	2.50
Good Roads Machine Co., two cutting edges,	17.00
Richard R. Clough, printing tax-bills,	3.40
Wallace White, services reappraising,	10.00
A. B. Black Road Machine Co., parts,	15.10
E. G. Cilley, repairing road machine,	5.75
W. N. Davis, spikes, nails, etc.,	7.43
W. H. Milton, removing tree,	6.00
W. A. Baker, painting Blackwater Bridge railings signs,	24.00
West Hopkinton Telephone Co., tolls,	1.55
Acme Road Machine Co., parts for crusher,	63.50
H. E. Bunnell, plank and labor,	8.70
Concord Belting Co., supplies for engine,	4.38
Concord Hardware Co., scythe and snath,	1.50
E. E. Dunbar, repairs at town house,	4.07
Buffalo Steam Roller Co., rent of roller,	500.00
John Swenson, one stone bound,	7.00
Ford Co., plough points,	4.20
W. N. Davis, tools and supplies,	18.69
B. C. Stevens, maintaining water tub,	3.00
Herbert French, painting guide boards,	2.25
W. C. Russ, board town officers,	9.00
W. C. Russ, cleaning greens,	12.00
W. C. Russ, shingling on town house,	8.75

Paid Hollis M. Chase, shingles for town house,	\$13.12
Baker & Keeler, collector's bond,	15.00
Contoocook Hose Company, wetting street	
July 4,	11.75
J. A. Fuller, copying inventory,	8.00
Contoocook Electric Light Co., lighting	
Contoocook Bridge,	26.00
Richard R. Clough, legacy books,	2.50
E. J. Fletcher, painting guide boards,	12.50
E. G. Cilley, work and repairs,	10.40
E. Q. Sanborn, labor on tool house,	28.28
J. C. Burnham, lumber,	1.10
J. P. Goodrich, labor on steam roller,	2.00
W. A. Baker, cash paid freight, etc.,	6.79
W. A. Baker, labor on tool house,	11.25
A. H. Britton Co., roofing tool house,	77.04
Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary, suppers for	
officers,	5.50
W. N. Davis, hardware,	10.17
B. C. Wescott, rent Engine Hall,	5.00
H. E. Bunnell, lumber,	23.40
Kingsbury & Davis Machine Co., repairs	
on boiler,	8.16
E. G. Cilley, making chains,	3.44
I. W. Jones, services reappraising,	19.23
Burbank Lumber Co., frame for tool	
house,	17.45
D. F. Fisk, lumber for tool house,	15.60
F. H. Emerson, drawing lumber and stone,	2.50
E. G. Cilley, repairs on snow roller,	11.35
Concord Hardware Co., supplies,	1.30
H. F. Edwards, treasurer, water for town	
house,	10.00
Sarah French, housing road machine,	2.50
H. E. Bunnell, guide boards,	4.50
Contoocook Hose Company, pay-roll,	60.00

Paid Contoocook Hook and Ladder Company,	
pay-roll,	\$48.00
West Hopkinton Tel. Co., line service,	3.00
Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, returning births and	
deaths,	6.50
J. W. Hazeltine, rent of auto,	8.20
J. M. Hoyt, housing roller,	1.25
W. C. Russ, labor sidewalks,	4.00
A. F. Runnells, labor on railings,	2.50
F. H. Mills, rebuilding chimney at tramp	
house,	2.50
W. N. Davis, rope for derrick,	14.40
Rand & Diman, labor and repairs on foun-	
tain and railing,	11.17
L. I. Claffin, board crusher agent,	3.00
L. I. Claffin, team for police,	2.00
Contoocook Electric Light Co., lamps for	
town house,	1.00
Edson C. Eastman, check-lists,	1.62
burial of veteran, amount from state,	30.00
J. C. Rice, postage,	.50
Contoocook Water-Works, water for foun-	
tain,	12.00
W. L. Moulton, wood for town house,	5.75
Concord Hardware Co., moth poles,	2.30
Richard R. Clough, for stationery,	1.25
W. A. Baker, cash paid telephone, freight, etc.	5.82
E. E. Dunbar, services as janitor,	25.00
J. A. Fuller, cash paid stationery, etc.,	12.92
Dr. G. C. Blaisdell, attendance William	
Sparks, Hillsborough County pauper,	1.00
J. A. Fuller, drawing jurors,	6.26
J. A. Fuller, attending non-resident tax	
sale,	1.00
J. A. Fuller, obtaining names of children,	3.00

Paid J. A. Fuller, cash paid out of town physicians and clergymen,	\$7.95
J. A. Fuller, issuing burial permits,	4.20
J. A. Fuller, returning births,	3.90
J. A. Fuller, returning deaths,	4.35
J. A. Fuller, returning marriages,	1.80
J. A. Fuller, writing cemetery deeds,	3.00
W. A. Baker, labor, stock, guide boards,	3.75
W. A. Baker, cash paid rent of autos,	2.75
W. A. Baker, cash paid office supplies,	4.57
W. A. Baker, cash paid freight and express,	7.11
L. H. Dearborn, plank for crusher,	5.00
W. A. Baker, cash paid for parts machinery,	3.20
W. A. Baker, telephone tolls,	11.10
W. A. Baker, bounty on hedgehogs,	5.00
J. E. Fellows, treasurer, pay-roll Fire King Engine Company,	62.50
L. I. Claflin, team for police,	2.00
J. E. Derry, blacksmith work,	8.15
J. E. Derry, services subregistrar,	2.35
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	\$1,730.77

DAMAGE TO SHEEP BY DOGS.

Paid James Howley, damage to sheep by dogs,	\$5.00
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TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid George E. Patch, services as tax collector,	\$250.00
J. G. Rice, services as treasurer,	100.00
J. G. Rice, services as ballot inspector,	10.00
E. F. Dustin, services as ballot inspector,	10.00
G. M. Putnam, services as ballot inspector,	10.00
J. O. Straw, services as ballot inspector,	10.00
F. I. Morrill, services for auditors,	6.00

Paid J. A. Fuller, services as town clerk,	\$50.00
J. A. Fuller, services at primaries,	14.16
N. D. Kimball, services as supervisor,	27.00
L. A. Nelson, services as supervisor,	33.00
E. G. Danforth, services as supervisor,	33.00
W. A. Baker, services as selectman (1911),	30.75
W. A. Baker, services as selectman (1912),	273.00
W. A. Baker, services as selectman after settlement,	25.50
A. F. Runnells, services as selectman after settlement,	25.50
A. F. Runnells, services as selectman (1912),	159.00
W. L. Moulton, services as selectman (1912),	140.50
W. L. Moulton, services as selectman after settlement,	25.50
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	\$1,232.91

DISCOUNTS, ERRORS AND ABATEMENTS OF TAXES.

(List of A. C. Call, 1910.)

Paid William J. Chapman on account of fire,	\$1.90
Benjamin Chinette, out of state,	1.90
William Partridge, out of town,	2.38
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	\$6.18

(List of George E. Patch, Collector, 1912.)

Paid W. M. Clinton, paid in Franklin,	\$2.13
F. A. Chandler, paid in Massachusetts,	2.25
G. R. Dustin, paid in Vermont,	1.84
Albert French, paid in Warner,	2.25
W. H. Matthews, paid in Henniker,	2.13

Paid H. D. Muzzy, paid in Sunapee,	\$2.13
Bertie Mills, paid in Washington,	2.25
John P. Nudd, paid in Warner,	1.84
P. C. Tierrell, paid in Hill,	2.13
John Woodward, paid in Newport,	2.13
Napoleon Moreau, whereabouts unknown,	20.24
H. C. Sturtevant, whereabouts unknown,	16.56
F. B. Kenney, whereabouts unknown,	1.84
Frank Carter, whereabouts unknown,	1.84
W. S. Bailey, whereabouts unknown,	2.13
F. W. Chandler, disabled,	2.25
J. A. Cooper, by request,	2.13
G. H. Horner, disabled,	1.84
James Clark, under age,	1.84
Milo I. Robertson, under age,	1.84
James Hibbard, error in moth tax,	.60
Arthur Call, error in moth tax,	5.40
J. B. Lucci, error in rendering inventory,	4.60
Clarissa E. Hicks, error in rendering inventory,	21.30
James Howley, error in rendering inventory,	2.13
Ella L. Kimball, error in rendering inventory,	72.00
Anstis I. Greene, error in rendering inventory,	112.50
Richard Emery, error in rendering inventory,	3.68
two per cent. discount off on taxes paid July 1, 1912,	114.03
C. C. Davis, out of precinct,	.87
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	\$410.70

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF ELLIOTT FUND.

Year ending February 15, 1913.

Dr.

To balance February 15, 1912,	\$654.61	
To interest received,	1,412.50	
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By benevolences paid by order of		
almoners,	\$835.12	
paid for trustees' bond,	86.67	
paid bank safe deposit box,	4.00	
paid advance interest on bonds		
bought,	14.22	
paid postage and books, two		
years,	5.04	
paid trustees' expenses, two		
years,	9.00	
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	\$954.05	
Cash on hand February 15, 1913,	1,113.06	
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HENRY C. DAVIS,
HORACE J. DAVIS,
GEORGE E. BARNARD,
Trustees.

Approved,

WILLIAM A. BAKER,
ALBERT F. RUNNELLS,
WILLIAM L. MOULTON,
Selectmen of Hopkinton.

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN
OF HOPKINTON.

Amount of town contribution,	\$1,515.00
Amount of state contribution,	378.75
Overdraft, towns,	176.52
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	\$2,070.27
 Amount of town disbursements,	 \$1,900.25
Paid state engineer, surveying, plans and in- spection,	33.41
Paid state engineer, metal culverts,	136.61
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	\$2,070.27

EXPENDITURES.

Paid L. H. Dearborn, road agent,	\$158.25
L. H. Dearborn, men and teams,	357.37
W. H. Milton, men and teams,	186.00
L. A. Newell, men and teams,	13.50
Charles Hoague, labor,	95.08
W. C. Hackett, fireman,	56.62
W. E. Goodwin, labor,	91.33
Walter Burbank, labor,	54.82
Charles Hill, labor,	46.20
A. W. Stevens, labor,	88.33
Z. Guimond, labor,	96.83
Frank Mills, labor,	80.83
I. D. Burbank, labor,	45.82
Carl Burbank, labor,	52.78
C. Moran, labor,	26.58
John Moran, labor,	14.00
L. H. Dearborn, (man) labor,	1.00
A. H. Dearborn,	3.00
W. A. Baker, five gallons cylinder oil,	3.25
W. H. Milton, team to get sprinkler,	4.00
John P. Goodrich, running steam roller,	50.00
town of Hopkinton, rent of steam roller,	200.00
W. C. Russ, lighting street,	3.85
E. E. Sawyer, 9,070 pounds coal for roller,	31.75
W. N. Davis, dynamite, cement and supplies,	22.36
A. J. Burbank, 22 cords wood at \$3.25,	71.50
W. A. Baker, cash paid for rent of sprinkler,	16.00
F. G. Straw, lighting street,	4.00
G. M. Putnam, rent of engine and pump,	10.00
G. M. Putnam, labor in setting engine,	3.00

Paid G. M. Putnam, 20 gallons gasoline,	\$3.20
C. F. Dustin, three cords wood,	9.00
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	\$1,900.25

Distance built, 2,300 lineal feet.

Cost per lineal foot, 90 cents.

SUMMARY.

Paid state tax,	\$3,728.00
county tax,	2,590.16
school money,	9,595.13
Memorial Day,	75.00
Hopkinton village fire district,	500.00
Contoocook precinct,	1,000.00
Hopkinton free public library,	300.00
highways and bridges,	2,480.42
breaking roads and winter work,	589.30
tramp department,	96.25
dependent soldiers, county,	438.15
dependent soldiers, town,	2.87
county paupers,	129.00
town poor,	1,070.06
for removing brown-tail moths,	1,020.06
cemetery account,	95.51
forest and other fires,	214.14
police department,	46.89
board of health,	40.15
temporary loans and interest,	2,058.33
miscellaneous,	1,730.77
damage to sheep by dogs,	5.00
town officers,	1,232.91
discount, errors and abatements,	416.88
state highway department,	2,070.27
state highway maintenance,	192.82
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	\$31,718.07

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Hopkinton, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK I. MORRILL,
HARRY W. MARSHALL,
Auditors of Hopkinton.

Hopkinton, February 20, 1913.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF TOWN.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand at settlement,	\$5,450.97
Three road machines, three snow rollers and sundry tools,	400.00
Two tool houses,	300.00
Two hearses,	300.00
Uncollected tax-list (1910),	6.96
Stone-crushing plant,	1,500.00
Pine growth on New Cemetery,	350.00
Bridge plank on hand,	250.00
Four safes,	350.00
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	\$8,907.93

LIABILITIES.

Dog license money, 1912,	\$225.08
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Balance in favor of town,	\$8,682.85

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. BAKER,
ALBERT F. RUNNELLS,
WILLIAM L. MOULTON,
Selectmen of Hopkinton.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

JAMES G. RICE, Treasurer, in account with the Town of
Hopkinton.

RECEIPTS.

Amount at time of settlement, 1912,	\$4,239.41
J. A. Fuller, pool table license,	10.00
National State Capital Bank loan,	2,000.00
J. A. Fuller, dog license,	225.08
W. A. Baker, Merrimack County orders, paupers off farm,	115.42
W. A. Baker, Merrimack County orders, aid to soldiers,	413.44
A. F. Runnells, cemetery lots sold,	3.00
George E. Patch, collector, tax-list, 1912,	24,124.60
George E. Patch, collector, interest on taxes,	36.77
W. A. Baker, town of Webster, one-half cost of boundary posts,	6.86
W. A. Baker, state aid, highway maintenance,	46.72
J. A. Fuller, declaration for town office,	12.00
W. A. Baker, state portion forest fire bill,	54.93
W. A. Baker, from Fred J. Chase, support of child,	220.00
W. A. Baker, removing shade tree,	6.00
W. A. Baker, rent of engine,	37.50
W. A. Baker, state aid, highway,	378.75
W. A. Baker, rent of town house,	27.00
W. A. Baker, rent of hearse,	1.00
W. A. Baker, show license,	20.00
W. A. Baker, bridge plank sold,	3.60
W. A. Baker, Hillsborough County, aid to poor,	9.90

W. A. Baker, cemetery lot sold,	\$5.00
W. A. Baker, bounty on hedgehogs,	5.00
L. H. Dearborn, rent of roller,	5.00
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, insurance tax,	19.50
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, railroad tax,	652.92
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, savings-bank tax,	3,974.45
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, literary fund,	180.20
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, school fund,	283.33
A. C. Call, collector, tax-list, 1910,	9.14
A. C. Call, collector, interest on taxes,	.52
A. F. Runnells, state check, soldier's burial,	30.00
J. A. Fuller, cemetery lot sold,	12.00
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	\$37,169.04
Paid orders of selectmen,	31,718.07
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Cash on hand, February 15, 1913,	\$5,450.97

We, the undersigned, auditors of Hopkinton, hereby certify that we have examined the account of the treasurer, and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK I. MORRILL,
HARRY W. MARSHALL,
Auditors of Hopkinton.

Hopkinton, February 20, 1913.

TRUST FUNDS.

Name of fund.	Original amount.	Amount at last settlement.	Income received past year.	Paid out on orders.	Amount of fund at date.	Purpose of fund.	How invested.
Dr. E. Lerner.....	\$500.00	\$451.02	\$18.04	.....	\$460.06	Female Charity....	Kansas bond.
Hannah B. Lerner.....	500.00	506.27	20.00	\$23.00	293.27	Burial Lot. Care....	New Hampshire Savings Bank.
Maria W. Robertson.....	100.00	113.17	4.00	1.60	115.57	"	Loan and Trust Savings Bank.
Charles G. Greene.....	200.00	243.10	8.14	1.19	250.14	"	"
Nathaniel Abbott.....	200.00	232.08	8.14	2.19	238.03	"	"
Miranda G. Culver.....	200.00	228.61	8.14	2.19	234.56	"	"
Tyler B. Hardy.....	100.00	110.53	4.06	3.10	111.49	"	"
Mary J. Raymond.....	200.00	229.90	8.11	1.19	236.85	"	"
Malina Brown.....	200.00	228.88	8.11	2.19	234.83	"	"
John W. E. Tuttle.....	100.00	109.67	4.06	3.10	110.63	"	"
Emeline A. H. Sage.....	200.00	232.98	8.11	2.19	238.93	"	"
Aaron Smith.....	100.00	112.67	4.06	1.60	116.13	"	"
Catherine C. P. Lerner.....	100.00	113.54	4.06	1.60	115.53	"	"
N. D. Piper.....	200.00	254.86	8.00	1.19	261.67	"	"
Harriet M. Clase.....	100.00	110.44	4.00	3.10	101.34	"	"
Lucia A. D. Long.....	100.00	119.03	4.00	1.60	121.43	"	"
Barriett N. Hook.....	100.00	108.71	4.00	3.10	109.51	"	"
Lovisa M. Cook.....	100.00	113.18	4.00	.60	116.58	"	"
Vudley C. Hubbard.....	100.00	112.48	4.00	1.60	114.88	"	"
William H. Hale.....	100.00	105.03	4.00	3.16	106.93	"	"
Vianna Connor.....	100.00	113.58	4.00	1.60	116.98	"	"
Eli A. Boutwell.....	100.00	112.37	4.00	.60	115.77	"	"
E. Maria Page.....	100.00	114.33	4.00	.60	117.73	"	"
Hiram Farrington.....	100.00	110.91	4.00	1.60	113.31	"	"
George G. Phelps.....	100.00	110.65	4.06	1.60	113.11	"	"
Laura B. Hardy.....	100.00	101.87	4.00	3.10	105.77	"	"
Daniel Clase.....	150.00	155.07	6.00	2.80	158.18	"	"
Mary E. Elliott.....	200.00	204.75	4.00	1.19	211.56	"	"
Mary Edith Straw.....	200.00	.....	3.00	1.49	202.81	"	"
Estella G. Dow.....	100.00	102.77	4.70	.60	103.00	"	"
Helen Young Bailey.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....	106.87	Jewett Road Schoolhouse	United States Government bond.
					\$5,493.85		Loan and Trust Savings Bank.

Amount of bond and bank books..... \$4,919.06
Amount on deposit..... 574.79

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of James G. Rice, Town Treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK I. MORRILL, }
ROBERT T. GOULD, } Auditors
WILLIAM L. MOULTON, }
Hopkinton.

STATE HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE.

L. H. Dearborn, highway agent,	\$16.50
L. H. Dearborn, man and team,	65.24
W. H. Milton, highway agent,	9.00
W. H. Milton, man and team,	18.00
L. H. Dearborn, labor,	1.50
Orrin Chase, labor,	8.75
Oscar N. Chase, labor,	8.75
Cyrus F. Chase, labor,	1.75
Joseph Cooper, labor,	3.50
A. W. Stevens, labor,	12.68
W. E. Goodwin, labor,	11.62
Charles Hoague, labor,	9.62
Z. Guimond, labor,	9.36
Frank Mills, labor,	1.00
Town of Hopkinton, rent of steam roller,	5.00
Four posts,	.80
Wood railing,	1.25
Cement,	1.00
Cobble stone,	1.00
Paint and brush,	1.60
Forty-nine loads gravel,	4.90
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	\$199.82

HIGHWAY AGENTS' ACCOUNTS.

L. H. Dearborn, highway agent, in account with the
Town of Hopkinton.

Received for labor from February, 1912, to February,
1913, \$1,274.36, accounted for as follows:

FOR LABOR, ETC.

February, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$4.50
I. D. Burbank,	38.02
A. O. Chandler,	1.50
Ira A. Putney,	4.00
C. P. Huntoon,	13.35
E. E. Chase,	5.60
Edward Guerin,	12.25
George Guerin,	2.25
Henry Holmes,	2.00
W. L. Moulton,	2.62
Parker Flanders,	12.00
A. F. Runnells,	3.60
C. A. Holmes,	9.50
G. E. Patch,	9.90
E. J. Robinson,	5.00
R. P. Prince,	5.00
A. L. Straw,	7.06
Henry Tucker,	1.95

\$140.10

March, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$4.50
P. C. Whittier,	12.25
Ira A. Putney,	2.20
C. P. Huntoon,	6.60
M. D. Chase,	17.48
N. D. Kimball,	1.75
Herman Barton,	13.35
James Hoit,	2.09
B. F. Clark,	4.84
Forrest Colby,	14.30
B. P. Symonds,	5.52
E. E. Chase,	6.55
G. E. Patch,	10.50
C. A. Holmes,	14.00
A. F. Runnells,	5.85
Edward Guerin,	6.65
George Guerin,	2.25
W. L. Moulton,	2.72
H. P. Holmes,	2.00
C. E. Hill,	2.27
R. R. Ward,	5.07
Ralph Boutwell,	5.70
W. C. Russ,	10.62
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	\$159.06

April, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$39.00
A. W. Stevens,	5.25
Z. Guimond,	5.69
W. E. Goodwin,	4.37
Charles Hoague,	4.37
A. O. Chandler,	2.00

Paid I. D. Burbank,	\$15.56
G. E. Patch,	1.40
A. L. Straw,	8.09
E. E. Chase,	1.05
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	\$86.78

May, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$117.55
A. W. Stevens,	18.08
W. E. Goodwin,	18.94
Z. Guimond,	19.83
Charles Hoague,	18.94
G. M. Putnam,	16.75
Mrs. Clara Rogers, grade,	2.70
F. L. Flanders, spikes,	.32
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	\$213.11

June, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$269.25
A. W. Stevens,	44.91
W. E. Goodwin,	44.91
Z. Guimond,	39.66
Charles Hoague,	44.91
C. J. Dow,	3.30
Edward Guerin,	12.25
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	\$459.19

July, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$12.06
A. W. Stevens,	2.62

Paid W. E. Goodwin,	\$15.75
F. L. Flanders, spikes,	.32
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	\$30.75

August, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$7.50
A. W. Stevens,	13.12
Z. Guimond,	6.56
W. C. Russ,	9.89
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	\$37.07

September, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$18.00
W. E. Goodwin,	5.25
Z. Guimond,	2.62
A. W. Stevens,	2.62
Charles Hoague,	2.62
Frank Mills,	2.62
I. D. Burbank,	1.75
W. I. Burbank,	1.75
Carl Burbank,	2.62
Edward Guerin,	5.25
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	\$45.10

October, 1912.

Paid W. C. Russ,	\$18.60
G. H. Quimby,	10.50
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	\$29.10

November, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$1.50
Z. Guimond,	9.00
A. W. Stevens,	8.00
Forrest Colby,	11.27
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	\$29.77

December, 1912.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$3.00
A. L. Straw,	6.75
A. Purington,	6.75
W. C. Russ,	9.63
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	\$26.13

January, 1913.

Paid L. H. Dearborn,	\$2.70
E. E. Chase,	11.75
W. C. Russ,	1.75
C. A. Holmes,	2.00
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	\$18.20

Amount expended for winter work,	\$382.31
Amount expended for summer work,	\$892.05

W. H. Milton, highway agent, in account with the Town
of Hopkinton.

Received for labor from February, 1912, to February,
1913, \$1,411.07, accounted for as follows:

February, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$31.62
R. T. Gould,	19.00
C. W. Perley,	6.60
Amos Frye,	5.50
W. Q. Hook,	4.95
H. C. Dustin,	7.50
A. C. Kimball,	4.00
Orrin Chase,	.50
H. D. Cooper,	3.30
True Currier,	.50
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	\$83.47

March, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$18.00
R. T. Gould,	16.50
R. J. Bennett,	1.00
Charles E. Elliott,	3.31
E. L. Nelson,	4.20
Cyrus Chase,	.78
H. C. Dustin,	4.50
W. Q. Hook,	1.80
C. W. Perley,	6.34
J. F. Hoyt,	7.63
A. C. Kimball,	2.00
Fred Clark,	.78

Paid Orrin Chase,	\$2.62
W. O. Palmer,	.78
Robert Smith,	17.00
Amos Frye,	8.50
H. D. Cooper,	2.85
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	\$98.59

April, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$75.33
Orrin Chase,	9.19
Oscar Chase,	19.69
Myron Hoyt,	1.75
F. E. White, snowing new bridge, 1911-1912,	7.25
J. A. Jones, snowing bridge and breaking roads,	12.25
A. E. Pierce, gravel,	6.40
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	\$131.86

May, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$90.37
Walter Corliss,	7.50
Orrin Chase,	23.62
Oscar Chase,	22.75
Ernest Currier,	10.55
Cyrus Chase,	10.50
Raymond Barnard,	1.75
Robert Gould,	1.37
Charles Sanborn,	3.50
Jason Howe, and team,	9.00
E. G. Cilley, blacksmithing,	.60
J. F. Hook,	4.48
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	\$185.99

June, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$141.00
Orrin Chase,	29.31
Oscar Chase,	12.25
Cyrus Chase,	17.06
James Carter,	4.08
John Gomes,	3.50
Charles Sanborn,	8.31
Arthur Dinsmore,	6.56
Harry Chase,	.87
E. S. Richardson,	2.33
Jason Howe,	4.50
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	\$229.77

July, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$25.50
Orrin Chase,	10.50
T. W. Page,	12.25
Fred Chase,	1.75
Oscar Chase,	3.50
J. F. Hook,	5.46
James Carter,	.97
Henry Bartlett,	2.50
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	\$62.43

August, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$100.50
T. W. Page,	10.50
Orrin Chase,	24.50
J. W. Bacon,	10.50
Oscar Chase,	36.75
Cyrus Chase,	5.25

Paid J. F. Hook,	\$7.00
A. E. Pierce, gravel,	2.60
Anna J. Chase, gravel,	6.40
John Dubois,	14.00
Ernest Currier,	10.00
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	\$228.00

September, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$141.75
Orrin Chase,	30.62
Oscar Chase,	25.37
J. W. Bacon,	28.00
T. W. Paige,	11.37
Orrin Chase, posts,	1.70
A. E. Pierce, gravel,	.60
Anna J. Chase, gravel,	4.80
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	\$244.21

October, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$31.50
Orrin Chase,	7.00
J. F. Hook,	4.08
L. A. Newell, damage to plow,	3.10
Charles Sanborn,	3.50
Nettie Stevens, sand,	.50
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	\$49.68

November, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$18.00
Roy Emerson, and team,	4.50
Orrin Chase,	5.25

Paid T. W. Paige,	\$5.25
E. G. Cilley, blacksmithing,	1.15
F. X. Tardiff, concreting manholes,	1.50
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	\$35.65

December, 1912.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$25.75
Orrin Chase,	4.37
T. W. Paige,	4.37
J. E. Putnam,	1.00
J. F. Hoyt,	1.00
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	\$36.49

January, 1913.

Paid W. H. Milton, men and teams,	\$5.75
A. S. Eaton, snowing Tyler's bridge, 1912,	4.80
F. H. Carr, bridge stringers and railing,	14.38
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	\$24.93

Amount expended for winter work,	\$206.99
Amount expended for summer work,	\$1,204.08

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We respectfully submit this our third annual report to the citizens of the Town of Hopkinton.

The work in any of the schools has not been radically changed during the year. We have endeavored to continue the schools along practical lines and hold what advancement we have secured. The teachers have been directed along the essential lines of work. When our resources admit, we hope to be able to devote more attention to the further advancement of our schools. Our greatest need is a longer school year, that we may be able to devote more time to the cultural subjects in our elementary schools.

The work at Contoocook has been very successful during the year. The manual training courses have increased the interest in a marked degree. The work in agriculture has been very successful. Fifty-five per cent. of the boys are taking this course. It would be well to extend the work in manual training into the rural schools and the practical work in the form of domestic arts for the girls in the high school.

Many gifts have been received at Contoocook from the friends of the school. These are appreciated by pupil and teacher alike. Among those who have contributed books and apparatus to the school are the Woman's Club of Contoocook, Mrs. Moody Currier, Mr. George Putnam, Mr. William Montgomery, and Mrs. John Fuller.

The school libraries at Contoocook, Hopkinton, Jewett Road and West Hopkinton are being used. They are arousing an interest and securing a culture which is per-

ceptible, and, we believe, appreciated by all. We are pleased with the co-operation which has enabled us to do what we have. May we have your continued support that we may have still better schools in Hopkinton.

Five rural one-room schools, the village schools at Hopkinton and Contoocook and the Hopkinton High School have been maintained during the year. It was necessary to open a school in the Hatfield district at the beginning of the school year. With the present distribution of the schools, the people of the town seem to have the privileges of the public school offered to them on as nearly equal terms as it is possible to arrange at present.

Approximately 190 different pupils have been generally regular in attendance in the elementary schools and fifty in the high school. Of these, 107 are girls and 133 are boys. This is a slight increase over last year. The teachers have been generally faithful in their work. We believe that the work has been as thoroughly done as the length of the school year and the present equipment will warrant.

While we are grateful for the co-operation secured between the school and the home, yet we hope for a still closer relation. In our agricultural work, we need some opportunity to carry the work of the school to practical results at home in the form of home projects. This will necessitate a small plot of ground or an opportunity to work with domestic animals at home during the school year or the summer vacation. We hope to give school credit for work done at home of a vocational nature. We shall expect the co-operation of those parents who have children taking the agricultural course.

Our aim for another year is progress along as many lines as our finances will allow. This means holding efficient teachers if possible, increase and perfection of equipment, a plot of ground for agricultural experiments, a

longer school year where there are pupils in the last two years of the elementary school, and the segregation of the pupils of the eighth grade in the village grammar schools. A room of sufficient size should be secured at Contoocook to allow the first three grades in one room that it may be possible to place but two grades in the grammar school where extra effort is needed to prepare pupils for the high school properly. The eighth grade at West Hopkinton could then be brought to Contoocook that the work may be lightened there until such time when two teachers will be needed in that growing section of our town. Progress always means the expenditure of money wisely. We hope for progress and for your support in making our schools worthy of the town of Hopkinton.

E. J. BEST,
Superintendent.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR ONE TERM DURING THE YEAR
ENDING JULY 15, 1912.

High School.—Hiram Conant, Arthur Duston, Leonard Davis, Frank Emerson, Lloyd Emerson, Ernest Hardy, Ora Huntoon, Alice Bonney, Gladys Clough, Edith True.

Contoocook Grammar.—Frank Ladd, Martha Chase, Catharine Dodge, Marion Elliott, Marion Hardy, Mildred Hardy, Bertha Morrill, Elsie Reade.

Contoocook Intermediate.—Fred Chase, John Duston, John Dwinells, Roland Fuller, Floyd Hastings, Harold Smart, Everett Thompson, Marguerite Brown, Beatrice Brown, Dorothy Bullock, Ida Collins, Marion Cooper, Marion Sweat.

Contoocook Primary.—Robert Cooper, Roxie Bunnell.

Hopkinton Grammar.—Willie Foote, Walter Miner, Hazel Derry, Edith Hood, Ruth Junkins, Alice Russ.

Hopkinton Primary.—Charles Mills, Ralph Perry, Mary Chandler, Lizzie Chandler.

West Hopkinton.—Earl French, Charles Hathaway, Harold Mathews, Jack Hathaway, Edwin Hutchins, Ernest Mignault, Dorothy Drown, Helen Higgins, Isabel Severance.

Jewett Road.—Clyde Fitts, Guy Goodwin.

Main Road.—Charles Davidson, Ira Gove, Winfred Gove, Ethelyn Kelley.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR TWO TERMS.

High School.—Earl Boutwell, Roy Boutwell, Richard Clough, Harold Emerson, Miriam Chase.

Contoocook Grammar.—George Conant, True Glanville, Robert Morrill, Jessamine Gould, Althea Ladd.

Contoocook Intermediate.—Harold Clough, Elwin Hardy, Harold Smith, Roy Smith, Marion Cooper, Audrey Davis, Eleanor Glanville.

Hopkinton Primary.—Herbert Colby, Rupert Kimball, Louise Colby, Vernice Hood.

West Hopkinton.—Harold Severance, Ada Hill, Effie Severance.

Jewett Road.—George Fitts, Russell Fitts.

Tyler.—Dorothy Bullock.

Stumpfield.—Lena Bletcher, Vera Bletcher.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR.

High School.—James Purington, Clarence Russ, Marguerite Russ, Sadie Sanborn.

Contoocook Grammar.—Harley Boutwell.

Contoocook Intermediate.—Mary Geer, Marjorie Marshall.

West Hopkinton.—Robert Dow, Alfred Severance, Archie Severance, Marguerita Hathaway.

Jewett Road.—Llewellyn Boutwell, Esther Boutwell.

TEACHERS EMPLOYED SINCE JULY 15, 1912.

High School.—Principal, Joseph A. Wiggin; sub-master, John G. Powers; assistant, Mary L. Barlow.

Contoocook Grammar.—Florence M. Emerson.

Contoocook Intermediate.—Nina M. Ball.

Contoocook Primary.—Ethel G. Taylor.

Hopkinton Grammar.—Ruth E. Seward.

Hopkinton Primary.—Ruby Bailey.

West Hopkinton.—Susie I. Perkins.

Stumpfield.—Myrtie A. Colby.

Hatfield.—Gladys Buttrick.

Jewett Road.—Alice N. Fowler.

Main Road.—Una Rice.

ENUMERATION OF CHILDREN IN HOPKINTON IN SEPTEMBER,
1912.

Between the ages of five and sixteen:

Boys,	128
Girls,	115
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Total,	243

Between the ages of ten and sixteen not able to read
and write,

Number born in New Hampshire,	193
Number born elsewhere in United States,	47
Number born in foreign countries,	3
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Total,	243

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

General expenses for the year ending February 15, 1913.

DR.

The school board charges itself with orders drawn on the treasurer of the Hopkinton School District amounting to \$8,855.47

CR.

The above orders are accounted for as follows:

Paid superintendent's salary,	\$483.33
teachers' salaries,	5,452.53
conveying pupils,	885.64
janitors' salaries,	286.00
cleaning schoolhouses,	53.60
fuel,	351.18
electric lights and water rent,	45.53
other items,	98.66
salaries of district officers,	229.00
notes and interest,	970.00
Total,	\$8,855.47

The account of the school board as repair committee for the year ending February 15, 1913.

DR.

The school board charges itself with orders drawn on
the treasurer amounting to \$170.59

CR.

The foregoing orders are accounted for as follows:

Paid for plumbing,	\$32.50
painting and material,	24.85
carpenter work and material,	86.87
other items,	26.37
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Total,	\$170.59

Account of school board for books and supplies.

DR.

The school board charges itself with orders drawn on
the treasurer amounting to \$431.01

CR.

Accounted for as follows:

Paid for books,	\$227.26
for supplies,	203.75
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Total,	\$431.01

Outstanding note at Loan and Trust Savings Bank
for West Hopkinton schoolhouse debt, \$500.00

The foregoing report is respectfully submitted by

CHARLES H. PEASLEE,
J. ARTHUR JONES,
FRANK H. COLBY,

School Board.

HOPKINTON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT, 1912-1913.

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 14, 1913.

1912.

Feb.	18.	To amount balance on hand at settlement,	\$323.56
		To amount received from school board (tuitions),	15.00
	28.	To amount received from school board (tuitions),	50.00
Apr.	5.	To amount received from town treasurer,	500.00
	11.	To amount received from town treasurer,	1,000.00
May	4.	To amount received from town treasurer,	1,000.00
June	12.	To amount received from town treasurer,	800.00
July	16.	To amount received from school board (tuitions),	65.50
	18.	To amount received from town treasurer,	300.00
		To amount received from Woman's Club (material for cabinet),	5.00
Aug.	3.	To amount received from town treasurer,	300.00
	16.	To amount received from school board (tuitions),	40.00

Aug. 22.	To amount received from town treasurer,	\$970.00
Oct. 5.	To amount received from town treasurer,	1,500.00
Nov. 22.	To amount received from town treasurer,	800.00
Dec. 19.	To amount received from town treasurer,	600.00
1913.		
Jan. 4.	To amount received from town treasurer,	1,000.00
Feb. 1.	To amount received from town treasurer,	825.13
Total amount for school purposes,		<hr/> \$10,094.19

1913.		
Feb. 14.	By cash paid on orders by school board, as per vouchers,	\$10,084.82
	By balance on hand,	9.37
		<hr/> \$10,094.19

MEMORANDA.

Amount appropriated by law,	\$3,495.00
appropriated by town,	3,200.00
notes and interest,	1,200.00
appropriated for officers' salaries,	250.00
appropriated for books and supplies,	500.00
appropriated for repairs,	250.00
dog money,	236.60
literary fund,	180.20
superintendent's salary (state half),	283.33

Amount tuitions,	\$170.50
received from Woman's Club,	5.00
balance on hand,	323.56

Total amount raised for school purposes, \$10,094.19

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH U. KIMBALL,
Treasurer.

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing accounts of the treasurer and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROBERT T. GOULD,
Auditor of School Accounts.

HOPKINTON VILLAGE BRANCH OF FREE PUBLIC
LIBRARY.

REPORT OF ANSTIS I. GREENE, TRUSTEE, FOR 1912-1913.

1912.

Mar.	1.	Balance on hand,	\$39.19
July.		Received from town treasurer,	75.00
Oct.	1.	Gift from Miss Molineaux,	.50
Nov.		Received from town treasurer,	75.00
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			\$189.69

CONTRA.

Sarah U. Kimball, salary as librarian,	\$50.00
Charles E. Lauriat Co., fifty-two books,	72.42
Myron W. Holmes, one cord of wood,	4.00
Contoocook Electric Co.,	8.00
Arthur T. Mills, care of building,	6.00
Arthur T. Mills, sawing wood,	1.25
Expressage, postage, etc.,	1.55
L. H. Dearborn, one cord of wood,	5.00
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	\$148.22
Cash on hand,	41.47
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	\$189.69

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT, 1912-1913.

We have added eighty-seven new books to our library since the last report, not including those sent from Washington. Of this number sixty-three were bought by trustee and twenty-four were gifts.

From visitors and fines paid we have received,	\$7.92
and paid from this for cleaning, care of lawn and for library supplies,	2.61
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Leaving the balance of	\$5.31
Number of books issued during the year,	2,467

Thanks are due Mrs. Margaret Kimball, Mrs. Ella Kimball, Mrs. Sarah A. French, Mrs. Grace Osborne, Mr. Samuel M. Chase, Mrs. James N. McCoy, of Plymouth, for books given, and to Mr. George A. S. Kimball and C. H. Martin Co., of Concord, for handsome calendars.

LIST OF BOOKS ADDED.

F 259	The Winning of Barbara Worth,	Harold Bell Wright
F 260	Autobiography of An Elderly Woman.	
F 261	A Motor Car Divorcee,	Louisa C. Hale
F 262	Lady Baltimore,	Owen Wister
F 263	A Spirit in Prison,	Robert Hichens
F 264	Dread, vol. I,	Harriet Beecher Stowe
F 265	Dread, vol. II,	Harriet Beecher Stowe
F 266	The Miller of Sillicote Mills,	
F 267	The Song of the Cardinal,	Gene Stratton Porter
F 268	The Port of Missing Men,	George B. McCutcheon

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| H 143 | Stever at Yale, | Owen Johnson |
| H 144 | Billy, His Summer Awakening, | Charles Taylor |
| H 145 | The Farmer Boy Who Became a Bishop, | Rev. A. R. Graves |
| H 146 | A Ball Player's Career, | Adrian C. Anson |
| H 147 | The Young Marooners, | F. R. Goulding |
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| J 57 | Aunt Jane's Nieces at Work, | Edith Van Dyne |
| J 58 | Aunt Jane's Nieces in Society, | Edith Van Dyne |
| J 60 | Aunt Jane's Nieces on Vacation, | Edith Van Dyne |
| J 61 | The Girls of Friendly Terrace, | H. L. Smith |
| J 62 | Happy Days at Hillside, | Emily H. Morse |
| J 63 | Sue Jane, | Maria Thompson Davies |
| J 64 | Nothing Venture, Nothing Have, | Alice B. Neal |
| J 65 | Tales of the Saxons, | Emily Taylor |
| J 66 | Patient Waiting No Loss, | Alice B. Neal |
| J 67 | A Place for Everything, | Alice B. Haven |
| J 68 | Home Life, Home Circle Library, | Mrs. Caroline A. Soule |
| J 69 | Little Alice, Home Circle Library, | Mrs. Caroline A. Soule |
| J 70 | Marion Lester, Home Circle Library, | Mrs. Caroline A. Soule |
| J 71 | Clinton Forrest, Home Circle Library, | Mrs. Caroline A. Soule |
| J 72 | Hesper, Home Circle Library, | Mrs. Caroline A. Soule |
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| K 66 | The Street Called Straight, | Basil King |
| K 67 | The Postmaster, | Joseph C. Lincoln |
| K 68 | Tante, | Anne D. Sedgwick |
| K 69 | The Iron Woman, | Margaret Deland |
| K 70 | The Following of the Star, | Florence T. Barclay |
| K 71 | Through the Postern Gate, | Florence T. Barclay |
| K 72 | The Man in Lonely Land, | Kate Langley Bosher |

K 73	Mother Carey's Chickens,	Kate Douglas Wiggin
K 74	Mother,	Kathleen Norris
K 75	Fram,	John B. Ellis
K 76	Bawbee Jock,	Amy McLaren
K 77	The Yoke of Silence,	Amy McLaren
K 78	Beyond the Law,	Amy McLaren
K 79	Polly of the Hospital Staff,	Emma C. Dowd
K 80	Sally Salt,	Mrs. Wilson Woodrow
K 81	Alexander's Bridge,	Willa S. Cather
K 82	Pleasures and Palaces,	Juliet Wilbur Tompkins
K 83	Peter and Jane,	S. MacNaughton
K 84	A Chain of Evidence,	Carolyn Wells
K 85	Christopher,	Richard Bryce
K 86	The Touchstone of Fortune,	Charles Major
K 87	Over the Pass,	Frederick Palmer
K 88	The Melting of Molly,	Maria Thompson Davies
K 89	A Hoosier Chronicle,	Meredith Nicholson
K 90	The Bandbox,	Joseph Vance
K 91	The Lighted Way,	E. Phillips Oppenheim
K 92	The Mountain Girl,	Payne Erskine
K 93	A Romance of Billy-Goat Hill,	Alice Hegan Rice
K 94	My Lady's Garter,	Jacques Futrelle
K 95	The Money Moon,	Jeffrey Farnol
K 96	With the Merry Austrians,	Amy McLaren
K 97	The Just and the Unjust,	Vaughn Kester
K 98	Where There 's a Will,	Mary Roberts Rienhart
K 99	The Bride's Hero,	M. P. Revers
K 100	The White Shield,	Myrtle Reed
K 101	The Arm-Chair at the Inn,	F. Hopkinson Smith
K 102	My Lady Caprice,	Jeffrey Farnol
K 103	Their Yesterdays,	Harold Bell Wright
K 104	Friar Tuck,	Robert A. Wason
K 105	_____	
K 106	Chronicles of Avonlea,	L. M. Montgomery
K 107	The Rise of Roscoe Payne,	Joseph C. Lincoln
K 108	The Rich Mrs. Burgoyne,	Kathleen Norris

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| K 109 | The Tempting of Tavernake, | E. Phillips Oppenheim |
| K 110 | "Charge It," | Irving Bacheller |
| K 111 | Daddy-Long-Legs, | Jean Webster |
| K 112 | The Lady and Sada San, | Frances Little |
| K 113 | The Hollow of Her Hand, | George Barr McCutcheon |
| K 114 | The Heather Moon, | C. N. & A. M. Williamson |
| K 115 | The Upas Tree, | Florence L. Barclay |
| K 116 | Beauty and the Jacobin, | Booth Tarkington |
| M 1 | Cuba, | Irene A. Wright |
| M 2 | Mexico, | W. E. Carson |
| M 3 | Panama, | Albert Edwards |
| M 4 | The Promised Land, | Mary Antin |
| M 5 | Town Topics, | Howard M. Cook |

Averill, Given by Mrs. James McCoy
 Merle's Crusade, Given by Mrs. James McCoy
 Report of the the Librarian of Congress for year ending
 June 30, 1912, and publications of Library issued since
 1897, from Washington, D. C.

PAMPHLETS.

Speech in Senate of Hon. Theodore E. Bunten, of Ohio,
 from Washington, D. C.

Readiness to Serve, By Levin J. Chase

Around the World—interesting facts relating to the prin-
 cipal countries and their money values, illustrated by
 maps, flags and store scenes,

Compliments of the National Cash Register Co.,
 Dayton, Ohio.

Respectfully submitted,
 SARAH U. KIMBALL,
Librarian.

CONTOOCOOK BRANCH OF THE HOPKINTON FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

TRUSTEE'S REPORT.

Frank I. Morrill, trustee of the Contoocook Branch of the Hopkinton Free Public Library, respectfully submits this, his annual report.

Dr.

1912.		
Mar. 1.	Cash in hands of trustee,	\$22.84
	Fines during year,	13.37
	Received from town treasurer,	150.00
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		\$186.21

Accounted for as follows:

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1912.		
Mar. 30.	Cash paid Emma Wescott,	\$9.10
Apr. 3.	DeWolfe, Fiske & Co.,	12.70
4.	Emma Wescott,	9.10
Dec. 1.	express,	.30
Sept. 1.	Clara O. George,	9.10
Dec. 10.	Clara O. George,	9.10
10.	Rumford Press Company,	
	for record book,	8.60
10.	G. A. Clough, cards,	3.00
1913.		
Feb. 19.	Arthur C. Huntoon, rent,	75.00
19.	Clara O. George,	10.00
19.	DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., books,	35.00
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		\$181.00
Balance due in hands of trustee,		\$5.21

BOOKS ADDED 1912-1913.

The Lady and Sada San,	Francis Little
A Romance of Billy-Goat Hill,	Alice Hegan Rice
The Net,	Rex Beach
The Upas Tree,	Florence Barclay
The Valiants of Old Virginia,	Emile Rives
As Cæsar's Wife,	Margaretta Gerry
The Lady of the Lane,	Frederick O. Bartlett
The Ranch Girls at Rainbow Lodge,	Margaret Vandercook
The Ranch Girls Pot of Gold,	Margaret Vandercook
The Girl of the Limberlost,	Gene S. Porter
Counsel for the Defence,	LeRoy Scott
The Lady Doc.,	Varoline Lockhart
The Harbor of Love,	Ralph H. Barbour
The Shepherd of the Hills,	Harold Bell Wright
Frank Merriwell,	Win Standish
Frank Merriwell's Schooldays,	Win Standish
Frank Merriwell at Yale,	Win Standish
Half-Back on the Ranch,	Ralph Barbour
For the Honor of the School,	Ralph Barbour
Crofton Chums,	Ralph Barbour
The Launch Boy's Cruise in the Deerford,	Edward Ellis
The Launch Boy's Adventure in Northern Waters,	Edward Ellis

Kingsford Quater.

Team-Mates.

Tom, Dick and Harriet,	Barbour
Ruel Durkee,	Brown
Rising of Roscoe Payne,	Joseph C. Lincoln
Daddy-Long-Legs,	Jean Webster
Poppy at the Post Office,	Pansy
Charge It,	Irving Bachelder
Capt. Warren's Wards,	Joseph Lincoln
The Postmaster,	Joseph Lincoln
The Red Lane,	Holman Day

Squire Phin,
 Skipper and the Skipped,
 The Ramrodders,
 The Voice,
 May Irverson Tackles Life,
 Strawberry Acres,
 Round the Corner of Gay Street,
 In the Hollow of Her Hand,
 Mirabelle's Island,
 Paul Randell,
 The Street Called Straight,
 The Money Moon,
 Broad Highway,
 The Man in Lonely Land,
 Night Ride.
 Elementary Jane.
 Patsey.
 Mystery Baranca.
 The Child Storm.
 Witching Hill.
 Song Sixpence.
 Concert Pitch.
 Seven Days at Waldpat.
 On Board Beatic.
 Maiden Manifest.
 Dream Blue Rosary.
 New Lives for Old.
 Harbor Master.
 Balkan War.
 New Heart.
 Twixt Land and Sea.
 Lee Shore.
 Benden Woman.
 Jezabell.
 Poor Dear Margaret.

Holman Day
 Holman Day
 Holman Day
 Margaret Deland
 Elizabeth Jordan
 Grace Richmond
 Grace Richmond
 McCutcheon
 Will N. Harkin
 Will N. Harkin
 Shreve
 Farnol
 Farnol
 Kate Bosher

The Promised Land.

The Postmaster.

The Turnstile.

Stella Maris.

The Heart of the Hills.

Their Yesterdays,

Harold Bell Wright

The Trail of the Lonesome Pine (given by French Reed),

John Fox, Jr.

Report of the Librarian of Congress for 1912.

The National Geographic Magazine for 1912, given by Mr.

Horace Davis.

PERIODICALS TAKEN.

Ladies' Home Journal.

Review of Reviews.

Everybody's.

Scribner's.

National.

Outing.

St. Nicholas.

Delineator.

World's Work.

McClure's.

Century.

Harper's.

Outlook.

Number of volumes in Contoocook catalogue,	1,545
Number of patrons,	418
Number of volumes loaned,	6,500
Volumes added 1912-1913,	85

VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOPKINTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1912.

Date of birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Sex.	L or V stillborn.						
Jan. 28	Ruth Orrall.....	F.	L.	Clifton J. Bartlett.....	Lida H. Chase.....	W.	Teamster.....	Warner.....	Hopkinton.
Feb. 10	Cecil Ray.....	M.	L.	Earl O. Cline.....	Mary V. Short.....	"	Clerk.....	Swanton, Vt.....	Hilton.
April 9	Mamie Alice.....	F.	"	George Guerin.....	Sarah Welcomb.....	"	Farmer.....	Manchester.....	Canada.
April 14	Alta May.....	F.	"	Ernest B. Hardy.....	Susie I. Rayno.....	"	Laborer.....	Ben Bow, Mo.....	Hopkinton.
May 1	William Andrew.....	M.	"	William J. Parfitt.....	Laura A. Tallant.....	"	Farmer.....	Stowe, Vt.....	Pelham.
May 7	Joseph Clair.....	"	"	Newton Cornet.....	Mary C. Moran.....	"	Chef.....	Jackson, Ky.....	Concord. [Italia.
June 12	Alexander.....	F.	"	Stillman A. Hardy.....	Pauline Bagley.....	"	Farmer.....	Hopkinton.....	Melbourne, Aus.
June 14	Doris Virginia.....	F.	"	Harry R. Clough.....	Florence C. Hilsley.....	"	Clerk.....	Lebanon.....	Farlee, Vt.
June 24	Evelyn Viola.....	M.	"	John T. Robertson.....	Alice M. Nudd.....	"	Leatherboard.....	Warner.....	Warner.
July 1	.....	M.	S.	Alanson O. Brown.....	Melissa Fleming.....	"	Painter.....	Thornon.....	Canada.
July 15	Elsie J.....	F.	L.	Eden E. Elliott.....	Anna Glazier.....	"	Laborer.....	Chester, Vt.....	Salisbury.
July 26	Elm Etis.....	M.	"	William M. Downs.....	Stella H. Couch.....	"	Farmer.....	Michigan.....	Arkwright, N. Y.
July 26	Emice E. Downs.....	F.	"	Edward L. Merrill.....	Sarah E. Lafage.....	"	Farmer.....	Haverhill.....	Salisbury.
Aug. 29	Gertrude Estella.....	M.	"	Walter Corliss.....	Nellie Elliott.....	"	Machinist.....	Somerville, Mass.....	Cambridge, Mass.
Aug. 31	Ervin Elliott.....	M.	"	Milo B. Robinson.....	Edna F. Bohanan.....	"	Carpenter.....	Nashua.....	Webster.
Sept. 11	Everett Blanchette.....	F.	"	Bert G. Blanchard.....	Edna F. Bohanan.....	"	Paper mill.....	Greenfield.....	Goffstown.
Sept. 12	Ella May.....	F.	"	John B. Nudd.....	Emmie O. Clark.....	"	Farmer.....	Warner.....	Hopkinton.
Sept. 12	Warren Gilbert.....	M.	"	Arthur O. Chandler.....	Jennie O. Miller.....	"	Strawboard mill.....	Farlee, Vt.....	Warner.
Oct. 5	Theodore Augustus.....	M.	"	Carl J. Lindquist.....	Hilda Nelson.....	"	Farmer.....	Sweden.....	Dundee, Scotland.
Oct. 9	Horace C.....	"	"	Clinton J. Stanley.....	Annie M. Hall.....	"	"	Hopkinton.....	Hopkinton.
Oct. 18	James Earnest.....	"	"	Eddie M. Somborger.....	Lillian F. Clark.....	"	R. R. section.....	Fall River, Mass.....	Warner.
Nov. 19	Thomas Carlton.....	"	"	Clarence T. Elliott.....	Margaret A. McDonald.....	"	Farmer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
Dec. 4	Elizabeth Elliott.....	F.	"	John L. Coombs.....	Julia Elliott.....	"	Machinist.....	Webster.....	Prince Edw'd Isl.
Dec. 21	.....	"	"	William H. Miner.....	Hattie E. Annis.....	"	Paper mill.....	Runney.....	Bow.
Dec. 27	.....	"	"	.....	.....	"	Farmer.....	Norwood, N. Y.....	Warner.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. FULLER, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOPKINTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1912.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	A. R. No.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 1	Hopkinton ..	John H. Bohanan	Hopkinton	22	W.	Farmer	Hopkinton	John W. Bohanan .. Della A. Jewell	Sutton	Farmer	1	F. M. Buker, clergyman, Hopkinton.
		Esther G. Marcy	"	18	"	At home	Cambridge, Mass.	Henry E. Marcy	Weare	Electrician	1	
1	"	Benjamin C. Westcott..	"	36	"	Machinist	Bristol	Hattie R. Greenleaf .. Charles H. Westcott..	Cambridge, Mass.	Painter	2	F. M. Buker, clergyman, Hopkinton.
		Flora M. Aver	"	31	"	At home	Hopkinton	Walter C. Agger	Andover	Painter	1	
Mar. 13	"	John H. Marcy	"	21	"	Dairy farming	Cambridge, Mass.	Maria Clough	Hopkinton	Painter	1	
		Mildred Fay Baker	"	23	"	Milliner	Hopkinton	Henry E. Marcy	Southbridge, Mass.	Electrician	1	Milton O. Beebe, justice and clergyman, Hopkinton.
May 8	Manchester ..	George P. Ames	"	46	"	Supt. of streets	Guilford	Hattie R. Greenleaf .. Edie V. Palmer	Concord	Painter & dealer	1	
		Flora M. Straw	"	48	"	At home	Hopkinton	William A. Baker	Hopkinton	Farmer	2	Nathaniel Colby, clergyman, Manchester.
25	Hillsborough	Fred Guimond	"	25	"	Teamster	Hopkinton	Thompson Ames	Guilford	Farmer	1	
		Donna Frances Currier ..	"	18	"	Housekeeper	"	Hannah Piper	Hopkinton	Farmer	1	J. G. Leclerc, Catholic priest, Hillsborough.
June 15	Hopkinton ..	Lerman H. Mills	Warner	42	"	Farmer	Hopkinton	Mary A. Holmes	Canada	Farmer	1	
		Jennie Charles	Hopkinton ..	36	"	At home	Scotland	Joel Guimond	Warner	Farmer	2	Lucien C. Kimball, clergyman, Hopkinton.
Aug. 8	"	Homer H. Haselton ..	"	25	"	Conductor	Hopkinton	Charles H. Mills	Hopkinton	Farmer	2	F. M. Buker, clergyman, Hopkinton.
		Susie W. Carter	"	24	"	At home	Concord	Oliver Townes	Warner	Farmer	1	
14	"	Harry George Bruce ..	"	19	"	Paper maker	Groveton	James S. Carter	Concord	Lumberman	1	F. M. Buker, clergyman, Hopkinton.
		Charlotte E. Bigelow ..	"	18	"	At home	Orford ..	John M. Bruce	Buckfield, Me.	R. R. section ..	1	
								Nellie McMann	Woodstock ..			
								James Bigelow	Bradford ..			
								Ella Hicks				

MARRIAGES.—Continued.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Sept. 2	Warner.....	Daniel Downs.....	Hopkinton..	22	W.	Machineist.....	Wilnot.....	Edwin D. Downes.....	Andover.....	Teamster.....	1	Martin F. Movis, clergyman.
		Alice Evelyn Sargent....	Concord....	21	"	At home.....	Warner.....	Eliza A. Keniston.....	Wilnot.....	Carpenter.....	1	Warner.
Oct. 2	Hopkinton..	Clement A. Griffin....	Hopkinton..	29	"	Farmer.....	Hopkinton.....	Nellie Ann Sargent.....	Warner.....	Carrier.....	1	Charles L. Snow, clergyman.
		Mildred F. Dunbar....	"	20	"	At home.....	"	Helen J. Morrill.....	Bow, Mass.....	Rural mail.....	1	Hopkinton.
Nov. 21	Concord. ...	Walter I. Burbank ...	"	23	"	Farmer.....	"	Eugene E. Dunbar....	Hopkinton.....	Carpenter.....	1	Richard W. Dow, clergyman.
		A. Elmira Morrison....	"	26	"	At home.....	Londonderry...	Mary E. Page.....	Dunbarton.....	Farmer.....	1	Concord.
Dec. 4	Hopkinton..	Frank Wilson O'Neal..	"	28	"	Paper mill emp	Salisbury, N. B..	Augusta G. French....	New London.....	Farmer.....	1	F. M. Boker, clergyman.
		Alice Blanchette	"	19	"	At home.....	Goffstown.....	Royal R. Morrison....	Hillsborough.....	"	1	Hopkinton.
								James O'Neal.....	Salisbury, N. B..	"	1	
								Mary Hoar.....	"	"	1	

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J. A. FULLER, *Town Clerk.*

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOPKINTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1912.

Date of death.	Place of death.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	
			Years.	Months.		Days.	Color.	Single, married or widow'd.	Father.			Mother.
Jan. 1	Hopkinton	Horatio J. Chandler	81	4	Hopkinton	M.	W.	.....	.....	Stephen Chandler	Mary A. Ripley.
5	"	James A. Densmore	50	5	Northfield	M.	W.	Hopkinton	.....	Samuel Densmore	Ann Williams.
8	"	Ellen Chase Roberts	81	8	Lancaster	F.	M.	"	England	Benjamin W. Chase	Priscilla Morgan.	
16	"	Eliza A. Richardson	81	8	Michigan	"	"	"	Vermont	William H. Hardy	Louisa Perkins.	
29	Concord	Susan Stanwood Chase	74	1	Hopkinton	"	"	Bradford	Hopkinton	Joseph Stanwood	Elizabeth Jones.	
Feb. 6	"	Elizabeth A. Richardson	69	4	Bradford	M.	"	Swanton, Vt.	Vermont	Edward Cressey	Mary V. Short.	
10	"	Cecil R. Cline	69	5	Hopkinton	M.	"	Tilton	.....	Earl O. Cline	Mary Willett.
26	Hopkinton	Belle Sanville	35	10	Pittsfield	F.	M.	Canada	Vermont	Peter Come		
26	Concord	Mary J. Madgett	86	7	Webster	F.	"	Warner	Vermont	William Watts	Sarah E. Sargent.	
Mar. 12	Hopkinton	Charles F. Watts	92	3	Webster	M.	W.	Hopkinton	Hopkinton	Jacob Straw	Mariam Flanders.	
April 6	Manchester	Horace N. F. Stark	83	1	Hopkinton	M.	"	Hillsborough	.....	William Mordough	Caroline S. Ayer.
7	Hopkinton	Clarence Straw	83	1	Hopkinton	M.	"	Meredith	.....	Rufus L. Flanders	Mary J. Hackett.
28	"	Eliza H. E. Dow	44	11	Gilmanston	F.	"	.....	Hopkinton	Henry Stevens	Allie A. Currier.
May 4	Pembroke	Mattie B. Dunbar	44	2	Hopkinton	"	"	Weare	Bath	George Day	Sarah Chase.	
10	Hopkinton	Mary E. Stevens	35	10	Hopkinton	M.	"	Bradford, Mass.	Londonderry	Hazen Jackson	Scharlott Kimball.	
20	Hopkinton	Henry C. Day	81	7	Hopkinton	F.	W.	Boscawen	Boscawen	Idlo Kimball	Fannie Richardson.	
June 7	Goffstown	George W. Jackson	84	3	Hopkinton	M.	W.	Thornton	Hopkinton	George C. Hale	Champion.	
17	Hopkinton	Theresa F. Morrill	73	7	Boscawen	F.	S.	.....	Canada	George Ordway	Nancy Crowell.
July 14	"	Harry E. Hale	23	1	Hopkinton	M.	"	.....	Pittsfield, Mass.	Alanson Brown	Melissa Fleming.
Aug. 14	"	Mary E. Brown	79	4	Hopkinton	M.	"	.....	Warner	Edson E. Elliott	Elizabeth Heath.
15	Newport	Max H. Heath	8	5	Newport	F.	M.	.....	Poland	W. Lewandoske	Nellie L. Colby.
23	Hopkinton	Ida May White	20	7	Webster	F.	"	Poland	Poland	W. Lewandoske	Mariam Sargent.	
25	"	Judith Adams	80	6	Warner	F.	"	Antrim	Medford, Mass.	John Bacon	E. Sendakoske.	
25	"	Wanda L. Lewandoske	74	3	Chelsea, Mass.	M.	S.	Hemiker	Sutton	William Perry	Sylvia Patterson.	
30	Concord	Edwin A. Bacon	74	7	Hopkinton	M.	M.	Canada	Loudon	John Blake	Aseneth Pressey.	
31	Hopkinton	Susan E. Hastings	73	8	"	F.	W.	Maxfield.	
31	Hopkinton	Charles H. Blake	63	2	"	M.	"		

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Oct. 7	Hopkinton ..	Julia F. Fuller	58	9	5	Hopkinton	F.	W.	M.	Hopkinton	Hopkinton	Sarah C. Abbott.
16	"	Van E. Paige	69	8	5	"	M.	"	"	Henniker	Henniker	Mary J. Patch.
19	"	Thomas B. Richardson	82	9	6	"	"	W.	"	"	"	Mary Blood.
Nov. 16	"	James E. Kay	82	9	27	"	"	"	"	"	"	Lillian Clark.
20	Concord	William F. Putnam	68	10	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
21	Hopkinton ..	Eunice E. Downs	68	9	26	"	"	"	"	Hopkinton	Warner	"
Dec. 6	"	Caroline L. Stevens	55	9	26	Wakefield	F.	"	"	Haverhill	Salisbury	Stella H. Couch.
11	Concord	Emily H. Chase	35	7	25	Hopkinton	"	"	"	Wakfield	Bedford	Lucy J. Bixby.
14	Hopkinton ..	Hannah J. Weeks	70	8	15	Webster	"	"	"	Hopkinton	Andover	Stella Keniston.
26	"	Elsie G. Fufts	5	11	"	Hopkinton	"	"	"	Chester, Vt. ...	Salisbury	Hannah T. Simpson.
27	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Norwood, N. Y.	Warner	Mertie G. Couch.
												Hattie Annis.

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